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To: Cole, Joseph E. [cole.josephe@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: For OGC REVIEW: draft Memo on PEER letter

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Chris,

Let's talk this morning on this if you're able.

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Thank you, Joe. The PEER report concerns the New Chemicals Program.

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On Jul 1, 2021, at 7:02 AM, Cole, Joseph E. <cole.josephe@epa.gov> wrote:

Received. We'll let you know if we are not able to review by COB today.

Joe

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Dear PTSLO and GLO – On Monday June 28, OCSPP Assistant Administrator Michal Freedhoff received from PEER a copy of a letter they had just sent to Representative Ro Khanna. (See first attachment.) The letter alleges that certain OCSPP career managers and staff violated EPA's Scientific Integrity Policy. Michal is considering sending a very

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We would be grateful for your review of the draft memo, ideally by COB Thursday July 1. We would like to finalize and send the memo on Thursday July 1 or Friday July 2. Please send us any thoughts or comments you have. Thank you so much.

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